6th ANNUAL WORLDWIDE OPFOR CONFERENCE

"IMPLICATIONS FOR IMPLEMENTING THE CONTEMPORARY OPERATIONAL ENVIRONMENT"

PURPOSE

- Update The Army's OPFOR community of evolving Army doctrine and organizations
- Gather user perspectives of draft OPFOR doctrine
- Gain insight on draft OE resourcing strategy
- Share CTC OPFOR TTPs
- Hear from the field...CTC & USAR OPFORs and
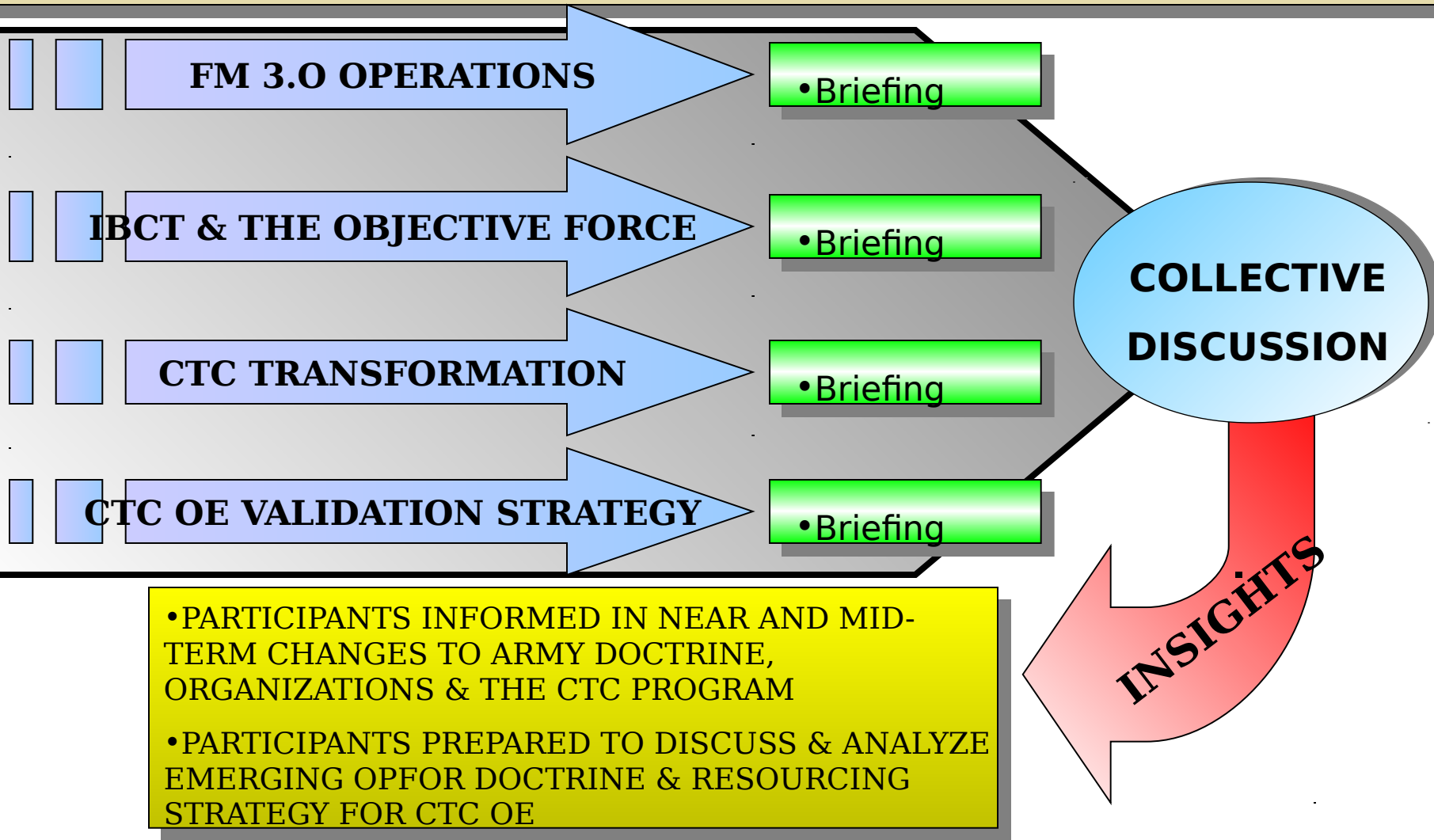
METHOD

- Briefings on Army doctrine, IBCT and Objective Force
- Briefings on OPFOR doctrine & tactics, CTC OE resourcing strategy and CTC OE validation strategy
- Working group analyses of OPFOR doctrine & tactics and CTC OE resourcing strategy
- CTC OPFORs brief participants on unique TTPs

ENDSTATE

- Feedback
  - Emerging OPFOR doctrine
  - Evolving CTC OE validation strategy
  - CTC OE resourcing plan
- Common situational awareness of OE implementation implications
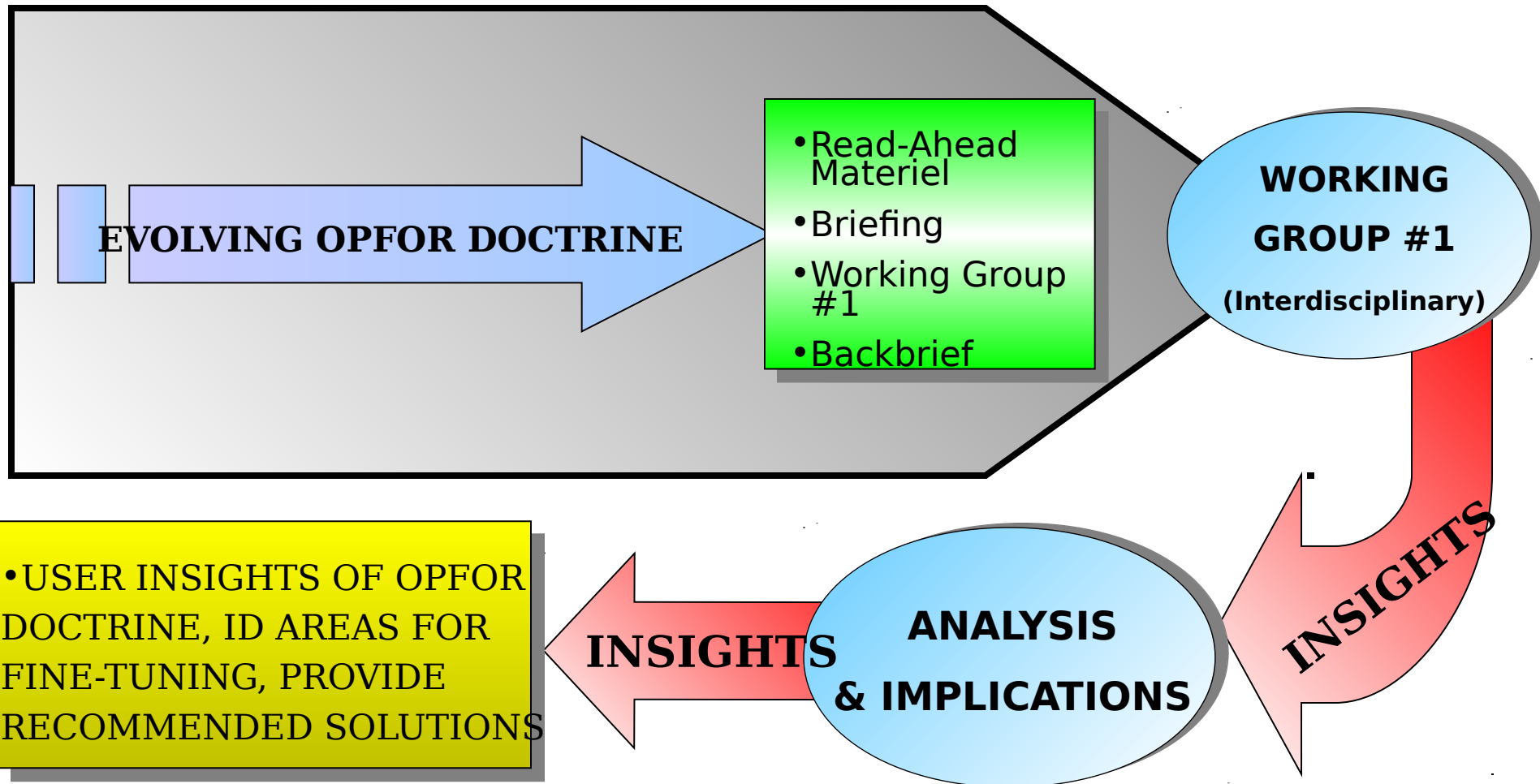- Clearly defined path ahead

DAY 1: END STATE OBJECTIVES

1. **Common understanding of evolving Army doctrine, organizations, CTCs and implications for the OPFOR program.**

2. **Foundation laid for Day 2 – Participants prepared to receive briefings and conduct analysis of selected OPFOR doctrine.**

FM 3.O OPERATIONS → •Briefing

IBCT & THE OBJECTIVE FORCE → •Briefing

CTC TRANSFORMATION → •Briefing

CTC OE VALIDATION STRATEGY → •Briefing

COLLECTIVE DISCUSSION

INSIGHTS

•PARTICIPANTS INFORMED IN NEAR AND MID-TERM CHANGES TO ARMY DOCTRINE, ORGANIZATIONS & THE CTC PROGRAM

•PARTICIPANTS PREPARED TO DISCUSS & ANALYZE EMERGING OPFOR DOCTRINE & RESOURCING STRATEGY FOR CTC OE
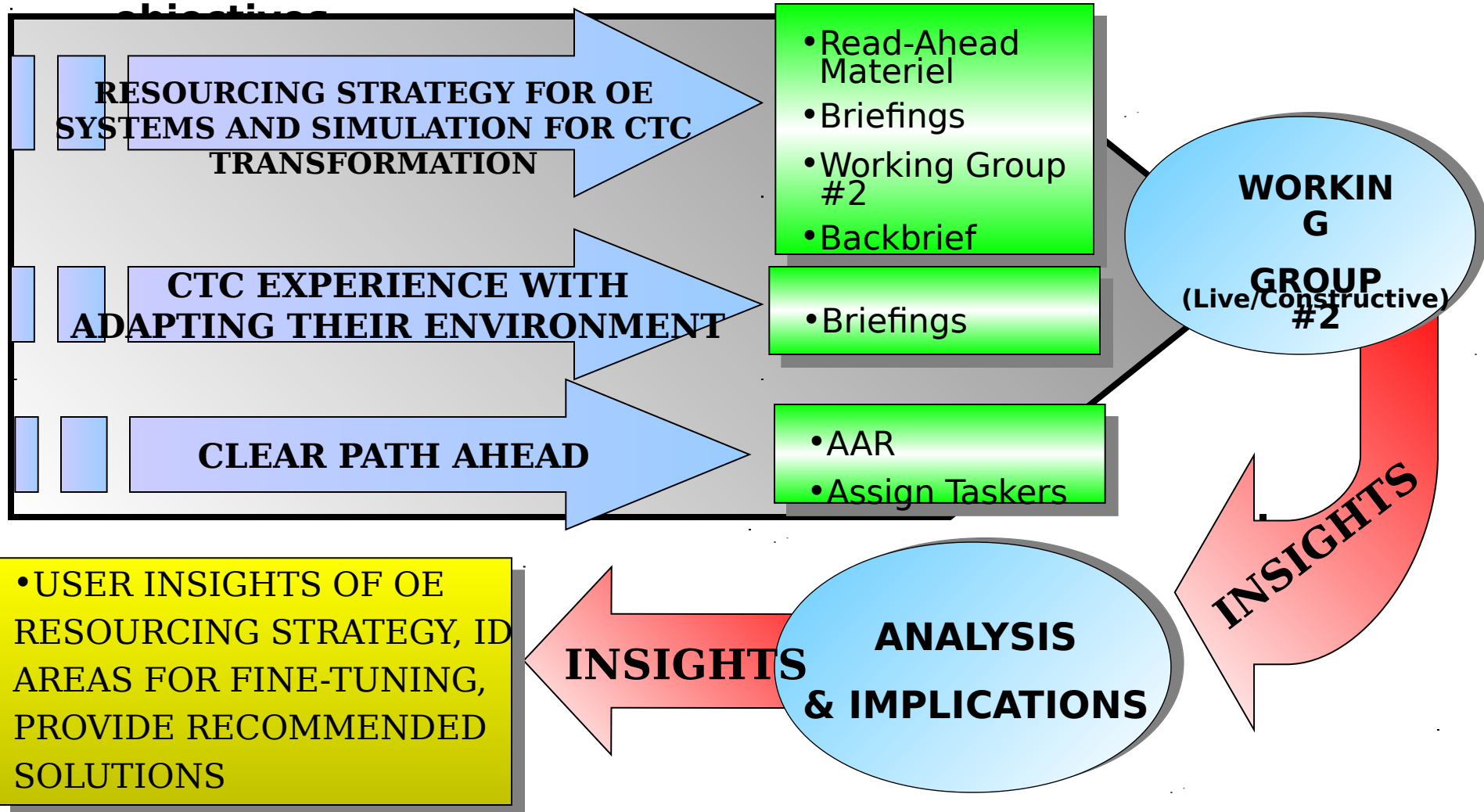
DAY 2: END STATE OBJECTIVES

1. **Participants analyze selected OPFOR strategic and operational doctrine and backbrief ADCST-W.**

2. **Foundation laid for Day 3 – Participants prepared to receive briefings and conduct analysis of OE resourcing strategy.**

EVOLVING OPFOR DOCTRINE →

- Read-Ahead Materiel
- Briefing
- Working Group #1
- Backbrief

WORKING GROUP #1 (Interdisciplinary)

INSIGHTS

ANALYSIS & IMPLICATIONS

INSIGHTS

- USER INSIGHTS OF OPFOR DOCTRINE, ID AREAS FOR FINE-TUNING, PROVIDE RECOMMENDED SOLUTIONS

DAY 3: END STATE OBJECTIVES

1. **Participants analyze OE resourcing strategy and backbrief ADCST-W.**

2. **CTCs share lessons gained from Army experiments and other experiences adapting the OPFOR to meet BLUFOR training objectives.**

RESOURCING STRATEGY FOR OE SYSTEMS AND SIMULATION FOR CTC TRANSFORMATION →

- Read-Ahead Materiel
- Briefings
- Working Group #2
- Backbrief

CTC EXPERIENCE WITH ADAPTING THEIR ENVIRONMENT →

- Briefings

CLEAR PATH AHEAD →

- AAR
- Assign Taskers

WORKING GROUP #2 (Live/Constructive)

INSIGHTS

ANALYSIS & IMPLICATIONS

INSIGHTS

- USER INSIGHTS OF OE RESOURCING STRATEGY, ID AREAS FOR FINE-TUNING, PROVIDE RECOMMENDED SOLUTIONS

5th OPFOR CONFERENCE: END STATE

1. **Common OPFOR Operating Picture.**
2. **Insights for BLUFOR and OPFOR.**
3. **Clearly defined path ahead.**

WHITE PAPER

- Verified Variables
- Appropriate for CTCs

BLUFOR KSA

- Focus on Warfighter Themes
- Stressed CTCs as premier leader trainers

OBJECTIVE AND INTERIM FORCE

- Basic understanding of both forces
- ID'd vulnerablities

INSIGHTS

- Comments incorporated into new OPFOR Doctrine
- KSA analysis evolved into Contemporary Operational Environment Task Laydown
- Objective Force and IBCT vulnerabilities supported requirements

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Issues From 5ᵗʰ Annual Conference

ISSUE	ACTION
00-01: Status of OE implementation	Closed
00-02: Status of TSD threat data warehouse	Ongoing
00-03: OPFOR Conference Website	Closed
00-04: Scope of OPFOR Validation Visits	Ongoing
00-05: OPFOR POI for USAR Divisions (TS)	Closed
00-06: Compromising of OPFOR standards during USAR training events	Closed
00-07: Status of New OPFOR Manuals	Ongoing
00-08: Frequency of OPFOR Conferences	Closed
00-09: Laydown of Required Capabilities for each CTC	Closed
00-10: Active duty training standardization Officer at 91st Div (TS)	Closed
00-11: Revised CAPSTONE process for OPFOR Modernization	Ongoing
00-12: Implementation of the OE into the Total Army Training System	Ongoing